

## PEARS

In Dayton the Kieffer is the best bearer among the Pears. It is also less susceptible to attack of the San José scale than any of the others. Next, in the order of their adaptability to this region, we would suggest : Duchess d'Angouleme (late fall), Clapp's Favorite (fall) and Wilder (early summer).

The dwarf Pears are valuable for growing within a limited space. The Duchess d'Angouleme and Louise Bonne d'Jersey are the best dwarfs.

This list, with such variations and as preferences and conditions may require, will serve for the fruit garden.

## CHERRIES

Cherries are the most satisfactory fruit trees to plant on the city lot. The sour sorts are practically immune to San José scale and most other pests and are reasonably sure bearers. We recommend the following in the order given : Large Montmorency (late), Early Richmond (midseason) and Dyehouse (early). These are the Cherries for the large commercial orchard as well as the urban planter, who only wants a few choice pies. For further variety add the Duke of Dayton, one of our introductions many years since, and the earliest to ripen here, and the Ida for a sweet sort.

## PLUMS

We would recommend in the order named, Moore's Arctic (dark purple), Richland (reddish purple), Lombard (dark red) and Shipper's Pride (dark purple). The Shropshire and Blue Damson are good, but the trees are irregular growers and somewhat uncouth in appearance, and should have protection the first winter after planting, but are hardy when established.

For a Plum orchard for profit we would reduce the list to Moore's Arctic alone.

## PEACHES

The Champion and the Champion Jr., both our introductions, are beyond question the best Peaches to plant in the city. They are hardy, handsome and are high-quality white-fleshed peaches, ripening in August, the Junior about two weeks in advance of its parent.

For the suburban fruit garden add to the two Champions, Greensboro (early white), Carman (white), Crosby (yellow), Elberta (yellow) and Smock (yellow). The latter is probably the best orchard Peach for this region.

We have an extended list from which further selections may be made.

## QUINCES

The Orange and Premium are recommended.

## GRAPEs

The following assortment is a selection of kinds specially suitable for arbors on the city lot. Vigor of growth, healthfulness and abundance of foliage, characterize this list, while for table use the fruit averages from

### **GRAPES, continued**

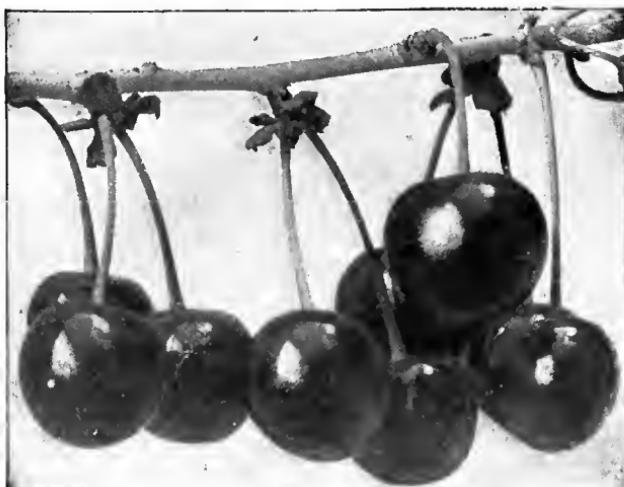
fair to good. These are all good bearers in this region. Many of the popular varieties are wholly unsuited for arbor planting.

The list is here given in the order in which they ripen : **Champion** (black), **Diamond** (white), **Lindley** (red), **Worden** (black), **Concord** (black), **Ives** (black), **Niagara** (white), **Woodruff Red** (red), **Elvira** (white).

We have the following additional varieties, ripening in the order here named : **Lutie** (red), **Moore's Early** (black), **Moyer** (red), **Hartford** (black), **Martha** (white), **Vergennes** (red), **Pocklington** (white), **Agawam** (red), **Clinton** (black).

### **CURRENTS**

**Cherry** (red), **Fay's** (red), **White Grape** (white).



Large Montmorency Cherry

### **GOOSEBERRIES**

**Downing** (white), **Golden Prolific** (yellow), **Houghton** (red), **Josselyn** (red).

### **RASPBERRIES**

We regard the following as the "cream of the list" of the kinds succeeding in this section :

**BLACK**—**Cumberland**, **Munger**, **Kansas**; **RED**—**King**, **Cuthbert**; **PURPLE**—**Haymaker**.

### **BLACKBERRIES**

**Eldorado**, **Snyder**, **Ward**, **Blowers**. The **Ward** and **Blowers** are still under test, but promising.

## STRAWBERRIES

The imperfect-blooming varieties should be planted contiguous to perfect bloomers of the same season to insure fertilization. A row of perfect bloomers between two rows of imperfect bloomers will be sufficient to fertilize both of them.

### IMPERFECT BLOOMERS

EARLY.—Haverland, Bubach.

MIDSEASON.—Cardinal, Kitty Rice.

LATE.—Sample.

### PERFECT BLOOMERS

EARLY.—Senator Dunlap, Fairfield.

MIDSEASON.—Abbington, Margaret, Wm. Belt.

LATE.—New Home, Steven's Late Champion.

## ASPARAGUS

An asparagus bed is altogether feasable on the city lot. The leading varieties are Conover's, Colossal, Columbian, White Mammoth and Palmetto.

## RHUBARB

may also be grown on the city lot with success.

Ask for any varieties not here listed

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